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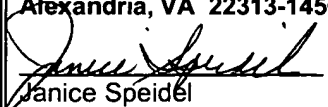
This paper is to bring to the attention of the PTO the following commonly owned copending U.S. applications, all of which are related in different respects to organic electronic devices and/or method of making such devices such as transistors, diodes, integrated circuits and the like. Many of these applications also have one or more common inventors. The enclosed PTO 1449 lists these applications. These applications also are generally related to the various applications noted in applicants' Disclosure Statement filed on February 17, 2005.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider and make of record all of the cited applications listed in the enclosed PTO 1449.

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Inventors</u>	<u>Atty. Dkt. No.</u>
10/524,646	Organic Component for Overvoltage Protection and Associated Circuit	Walter Fix et al.	411000-127

10/533,756	Organic Electronic Component with High-Resolution Structuring and Process for the Production Thereof	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-128
10/534,678	Measuring Apparatus for Determining an Analyte in a Liquid Sample	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-129
10/535,448	Organic Electronic Component Comprising Semi-Conductive Functional Layer and Method for Producing Said Component	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-131
10/535,449	Organic Electronic Component Comprising the Same Organic Material for at Least Two Functional Layers	Adolf Bernds et al.	411000-132
10/344,926	An Electronic Circuit Having an Encapsulated Organic-Electronic Component, and a Method for Making an Encapsulated Organic-Electronic Component	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-133
10/541,815	Organo-Resistive Memory Unit	Axel Gerlt et al.	411000-136
10/541,956	Board or Substrate for an Organic Electronic Device and Use Thereof	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-137
10/541,957	Organic Field Effect Transistor And Integrated Circuit	Walter Fix et al.	411000-138
10/543,561	Organic Storage Component and Corresponding Triggering Circuit	Wolfgang Clemens et al.	411000-139
10/542,678	Organic Electronic Component and Method For Producing Organic Electronic Devices	Adolf Bernds et al.	411000-140
10/542,679	Use of Conductive Carbon Black/Graphite Mixtures for the Production of Low-Cost Electronics	Adolf Bernds et al.	411000-141

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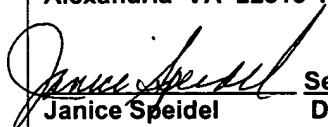
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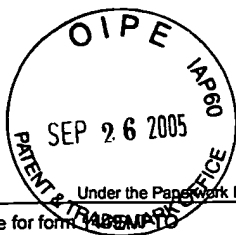
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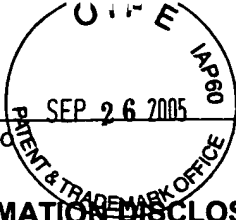
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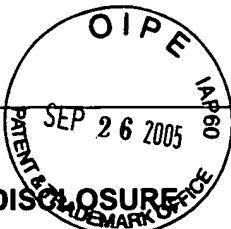
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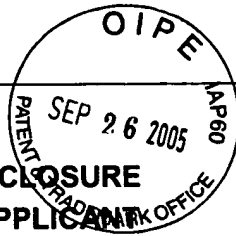
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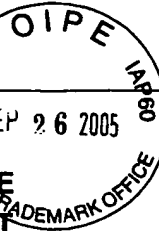
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